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HIGHLIGHTS

The 1986-87 data indicates:

- a drop of 0.8 percent or 16,779 students from total public and nonpublic school enrollments of 2,057,619 in 1985-86 to 2,040,840 in 1986-87. Public school enrollments declined 0.5 percent and nonpublic school enrollments declined 2.1 percent.

- that Pennsylvania's 1986-87 public school enrollments (1,674,161) included 1,178 or 0.07 percent American Indians or Alaskan Natives; 21,435 or 1.28 percent Asians or Pacific Islanders; 219,309 or 13.10 percent Blacks, not of Hispanic origin; 36,827 or 2.20 percent Hispanics; and 1,395,412 or 83.35 percent Whites, not of Hispanic origin.

- that Pennsylvania's 1986-87 nonpublic school enrollments (366,679) included 267,162 or 72.86 percent in Roman Catholic schools, down 1.66 percent since 1985-86.

- that the percentage of total school children enrolled in public schools is up slightly from that reported in 1985-86. In 1986-87, 76.23 percent of the 1,124,203 elementary school children and 89.15 percent of the 916,637 secondary school children were enrolled in public schools.

- that public schools operating in Pennsylvania in 1986-87 numbered 2,027 elementary, 881 secondary and 489 combined schools. Nonpublic schools operating numbered 1,652 elementary, 183 secondary and 382 combined schools.

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INTRODUCTION

"Public and Nonpublic School Enrollments, 1986-87" is one in a series of publications containing statistical summaries related to basic education, higher education, and vocational education in Pennsylvania. The data contained in this publication reflects current year figures as well as trends on a variety of selected topics. In many instances, more detailed data is available.

This report contains data on enrollments as of October 1, 1986, in public and nonpublic schools. Enrollments were reported by all the public schools and nearly all the nonpublic schools. The total enrollments in this report represent an unduplicated pupil count.

Requests for more detailed data and questions or comments about the data should be addressed to the Pennsylvania Department of Education, Division of Data Services, 333 Market Street, Harrisburg, PA 17126-0333 (phone 717-787-2644).

Sources: Public School Enrollment Report, 1986-87 (PDE-4035)
Nonpublic School Enrollment Report, 1986-87 (PDE-4036)

FIGURE 1
THE RELATIONSHIP OF PUBLIC AND NONPUBLIC ENROLLMENTS
1967-68, 1977-78, and 1986-87

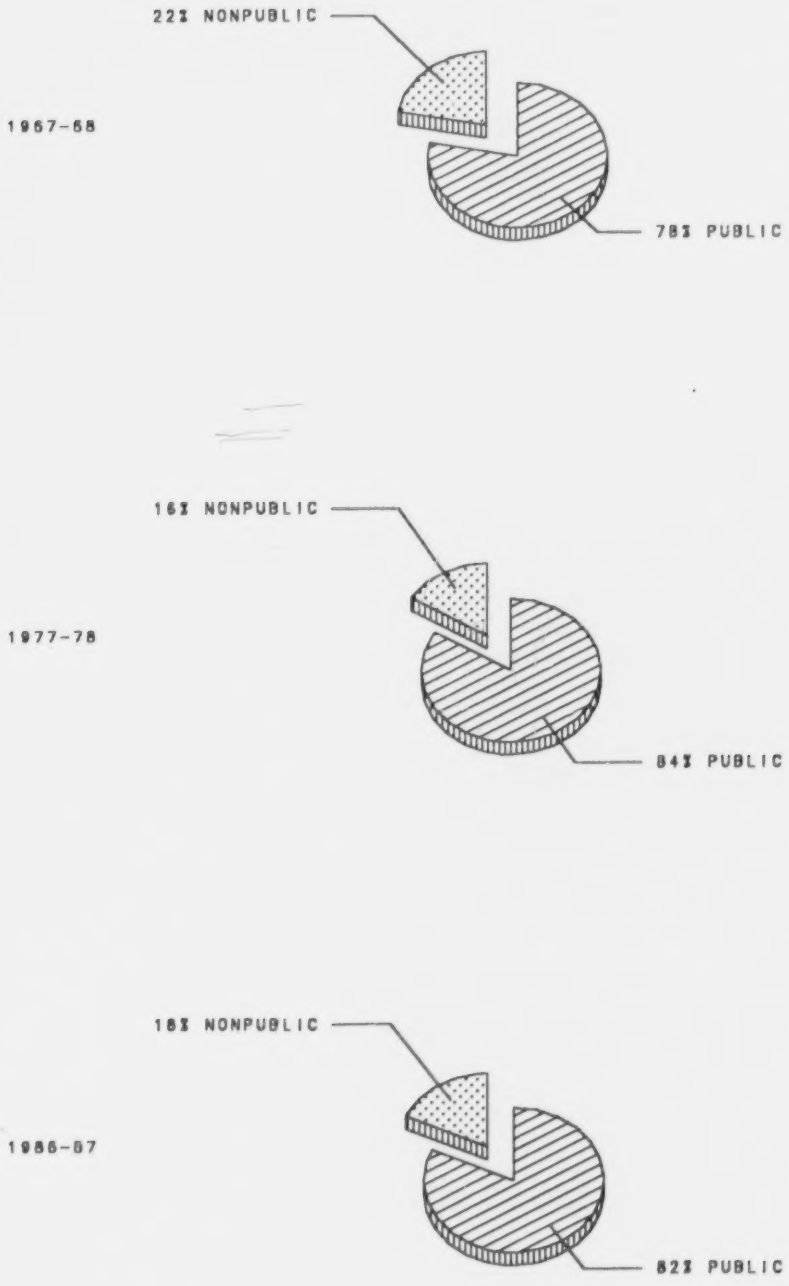

TABLE 1

ENROLLMENTS IN ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY PUBLIC AND NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS
BY COUNTY, 1986-87

COUNTY	ALL SCHOOLS TOTAL	ALL SCHOOLS PUBLIC	ALL SCHOOLS NONPUBLIC	ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS TOTAL	ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS PUBLIC	ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS NONPUBLIC	SECONDARY SCHOOLS TOTAL	SECONDARY SCHOOLS PUBLIC	SECONDARY SCHOOLS NONPUBLIC
STATE TOTALS	2 040 840	1 674 161	366 679	1 124 203	856 962	267 241	916 637	817 199	99 438
ADAMS	13 522	11 813	1 709	7 155	6 135	1 020	6 367	5 678	689
ALLEGHENY	210 326	168 497	41 829	115 246	82 264	32 982	95 080	86 233	8 847
ARMSTRONG	14 329	13 528	801	7 620	6 899	721	6 709	6 629	80
BEAVER	32 615	29 933	2 682	17 455	15 320	2 135	15 160	14 613	547
BEDFORD	9 077	8 788	289	4 681	4 424	257	4 396	4 364	32
BERKS	56 241	50 026	6 215	30 315	26 025	4 290	25 926	24 001	1 925
BLAIR	24 387	21 251	3 136	13 300	10 847	2 453	11 087	10 404	683
BRADFORD	13 154	12 610	544	7 224	6 707	517	5 930	5 903	27
BUCKS	96 839	75 679	21 160	53 836	38 682	15 154	43 003	36 997	6 006
BUTLER	25 805	24 123	1 682	13 945	12 365	1 580	11 860	11 758	102
CAMBRIA	29 696	24 502	5 194	16 093	11 936	4 157	13 603	12 566	1 037
CAMERON	1 144	1 144	-	565	565	-	579	579	-
CARBON	9 487	8 451	1 036	5 269	4 241	1 028	4 218	4 210	8
CENTRE	13 667	12 729	938	7 108	6 270	838	6 559	6 459	100
CHESTER	62 159	51 650	10 509	33 392	26 517	6 875	28 767	25 133	3 634
CLARION	9 049	8 623	426	4 804	4 420	384	4 245	4 203	42
CLEARFIELD	18 153	17 127	1 026	9 730	9 013	717	8 423	8 114	309
CLINTON	6 333	5 960	373	3 443	3 082	361	2 890	2 878	12
COLUMBIA	11 855	11 232	623	6 140	5 558	582	5 715	5 674	41
CRAWFORD	13 793	12 870	923	7 402	6 545	857	6 391	6 325	66
CUMBERLAND	37 061	33 611	3 450	19 302	16 886	2 416	17 759	16 725	1 034
DAUPHIN	41 076	34 956	6 120	23 059	18 582	4 477	18 017	16 374	1 643
DELAWARE	89 031	59 054	29 977	50 506	30 753	19 753	38 525	28 301	10 224
ELK	6 852	5 154	1 698	3 734	2 363	1 371	3 118	2 791	327
ERIE	54 083	42 539	11 544	30 797	22 062	8 735	23 286	20 477	2 809
FAYETTE	27 109	24 527	2 582	14 406	12 337	2 069	12 703	12 190	513
FOREST	849	814	35	417	392	25	432	422	10
FRANKLIN	20 755	18 809	1 946	10 556	9 396	1 160	10 199	9 413	786
FULTON	2 719	2 678	41	1 455	1 424	31	1 264	1 254	10
GREENE	7 909	7 780	129	4 158	4 078	80	3 751	3 702	49
HUNTINGDON	7 411	7 220	191	3 714	3 687	27	3 697	3 533	164
INDIANA	15 700	14 728	972	8 293	7 632	661	7 407	7 096	311
JEFFERSON	8 247	8 030	217	4 321	4 104	217	3 926	3 926	-
JUNIATA	3 720	3 476	244	2 026	1 801	225	1 694	1 675	19
LACKAWANNA	35 649	28 483	7 166	19 454	14 465	4 989	16 195	14 018	2 177
LANCASTER	71 177	56 511	14 666	41 989	30 329	11 660	29 188	26 182	3 006
LAWRENCE	17 424	16 361	1 063	9 335	8 469	866	8 089	7 892	197
LEBANON	19 302	17 399	1 903	10 295	8 938	1 357	9 007	8 461	546
LEHIGH	43 034	37 944	5 090	23 491	19 613	3 878	19 543	18 331	1 212
LUZERNE	52 309	42 800	9 500	27 790	20 899	6 891	24 510	21 901	2 609
LYCOMING	21 589	20 213	1 376	11 648	10 653	995	9 941	9 560	381
MCKEAN	9 606	9 027	579	4 944	4 566	378	4 662	4 461	201
MERCER	21 651	19 510	2 141	11 452	9 864	1 588	10 199	9 646	553
MIFFLIN	7 476	6 535	941	4 064	3 227	837	3 412	3 308	104
MONROE	14 732	13 570	1 162	7 724	7 041	683	7 008	6 529	479
MONTGOMERY	113 698	76 784	36 914	62 823	38 698	24 125	50 875	38 086	12 789
MONTOUR	2 868	2 553	315	1 607	1 356	251	1 261	1 197	64
NORTHAMPTON	42 335	35 764	6 571	23 129	18 357	4 772	19 206	17 407	1 799
NORTHUMBERLAND	17 474	15 038	2 436	9 350	7 562	1 788	8 124	7 476	648
PERRY	7 874	7 504	370	4 110	3 926	184	3 764	3 578	186
PHILADELPHIA	286 386	195 552	90 834	171 185	105 511	65 674	115 201	90 041	25 160
PIKE	2 101	2 086	15	1 145	1 130	15	956	956	-
POTTER	3 657	3 546	111	1 840	1 766	74	1 817	1 780	37
SCHUYLKILL	25 064	21 095	3 969	13 311	10 389	2 922	11 753	10 706	1 047
SNYDER	6 071	5 505	566	3 295	2 804	491	2 776	2 701	75
SOMERSET	15 033	14 093	940	8 113	7 382	731	6 920	6 711	209
SULLIVAN	1 061	1 025	36	577	554	23	484	471	13
SUSQUEHANNA	8 449	8 382	67	4 574	4 539	35	3 875	3 843	32
TIOGA	7 684	7 344	340	4 046	3 804	242	3 638	3 540	98
UNION	4 589	4 088	501	2 548	2 094	454	2 041	1 994	47
VENANGO	12 899	12 090	809	7 027	6 456	571	5 872	5 634	238
WARREN	7 897	7 461	436	4 188	3 810	378	3 709	3 651	58
WASHINGTON	35 248	32 434	2 814	18 148	16 036	2 112	17 100	16 398	702
WAYNE	7 721	7 156	565	4 253	3 823	430	3 468	3 333	135
WESTMORELAND	65 676	58 354	7 322	34 388	28 195	6 193	31 288	30 159	1 129
WYOMING	5 214	5 139	75	2 718	2 660	58	2 496	2 479	17
YORK	53 748	48 903	4 845	28 175	24 734	3 441	25 573	24 169	1 404

Elementary enrollments include kindergarten through 8th grade elementary and elementary ungraded enrollments.
Secondary enrollments include 7th grade secondary through 12th grade, secondary ungraded and postgraduate enrollments.
Nonpublic enrollments include resident and nonresident students.
All enrollment data is unduplicated.

Public School Enrollments

FIGURE 2
PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT TREND
FALL 1967 THROUGH FALL 1986

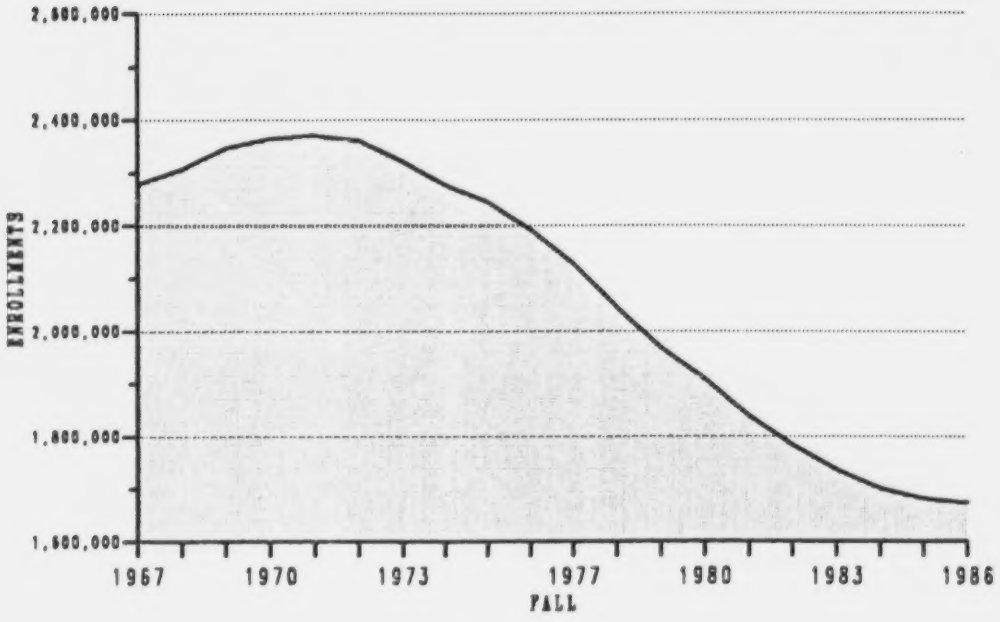

FIGURE 3
PUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY ENROLLMENTS
FALL 1977 THROUGH FALL 1986

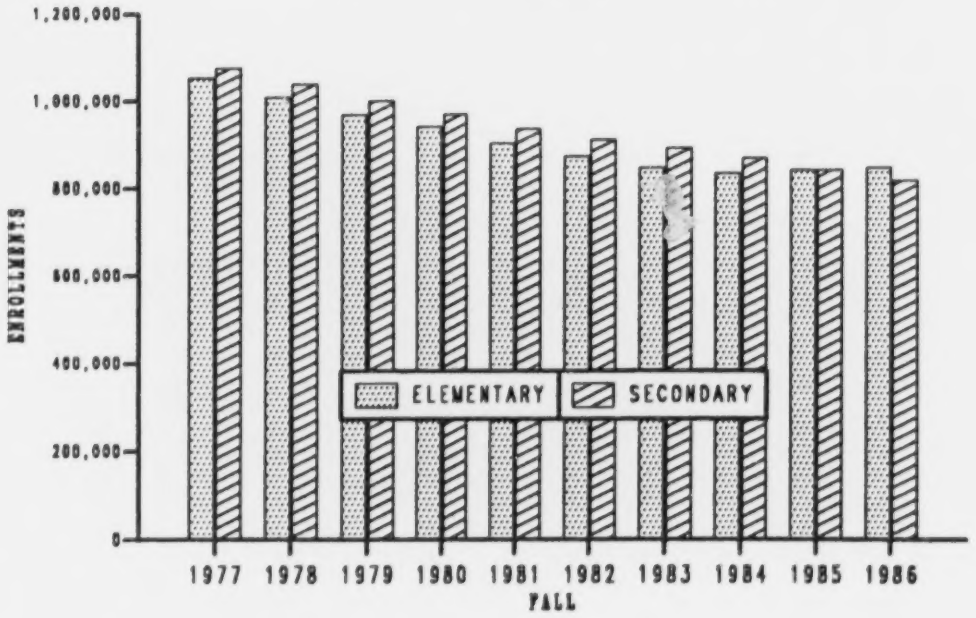

TABLE 2

PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY LEVEL
1977-78 THROUGH 1986-87

Year	Total	Elementary	Secondary
1977-78	2 128 873	1 054 040	1 074 833
1978-79	2 046 746	1 008 664	1 038 082
1979-80	1 968 801	968 325	1 000 476
1980-81	1 909 292	940 387	968 905
1981-82	1 839 015	903 342	935 673
1982-83	1 783 969	872 629	911 340
1983-84	1 737 952	846 145	891 807
1984-85	1 701 880	833 996	867 884
1985-86	1 683 221	841 419	841 802
1986-87	1 674 161	856 962	817 199

Pennsylvania's total public school enrollments for 1986-87 were 1,674,161. This represented a drop of 9,060 pupils (0.5 percent) from the 1985-86 figure, and a 29.4 percent decline from the high of 2,370,665 pupils reported in 1971-72. Elementary public school enrollments, which crested at 1,267,059 in 1969-70, dropped continually to a figure of 833,996 in 1984-85. Since then we have experienced increasing enrollments at the elementary level. The 1986-87 elementary enrollments were 856,962, a 1.8 percent increase over the number reported in 1985-86 and an increase of 2.8 percent from the low of 833,996 pupils reported in 1984-85. Public school secondary enrollments, which peaked in 1973-74 at 1,137,660, have fallen to their present level of 817,199 reported for the 1986-87 school year. This is a 2.9 percent decline from the 1985-86 figure of 841,802.

TABLE 5

PUBLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY GRADE BY COUNTY
1986-87

COUNTY	TOTAL	K	TR	GRADE 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	UN-GRADED
STATE TOTALS	856 962	124 171	2 543	130 388	119 948	114 179	112 088	108 589	111 931	8	7	33 110
ADAMS	6 135	955	16	890	854	792	790	767	809	-	-	282
ALLEGHENY	82 264	12 179	92	12 609	11 352	10 921	10 803	10 310	10 553	-	-	3 445
ARMSTRONG	6 899	966	20	1 023	964	958	908	928	954	-	-	178
BEAVER	15 320	2 290	5	2 259	2 208	2 023	1 980	2 051	2 181	-	-	323
BEDFORD	4 424	665	-	666	617	582	648	565	599	-	-	82
BERKS	26 025	3 699	58	4 123	3 718	3 377	3 356	3 151	3 322	-	-	1 221
BLAIR	10 847	1 606	16	1 623	1 468	1 553	1 374	1 468	1 510	-	-	229
BRADFORD	6 707	1 045	100	993	867	900	836	844	950	-	-	172
BUCKS	38 682	6 206	256	5 679	5 111	5 095	4 879	5 033	5 002	-	-	1 421
BUTLER	12 365	1 797	-	1 837	1 788	1 705	1 749	1 614	1 649	-	-	226
CAMBRIA	11 936	1 615	-	1 759	1 661	1 649	1 652	1 636	1 734	-	-	230
CAMERON	565	92	-	83	81	77	61	73	83	-	-	15
CARBON	4 241	544	-	610	574	535	530	519	574	-	-	355
CENTRE	6 270	871	-	980	912	937	898	809	848	-	-	15
CHESTER	26 517	3 954	34	4 105	3 699	3 527	3 540	3 463	3 497	-	-	698
CLARION	4 420	622	4	699	611	638	604	594	583	-	-	65
CLEARFIELD	9 013	1 326	16	1 380	1 264	1 258	1 299	1 237	1 158	-	-	75
CLINTON	3 082	455	-	438	462	413	422	426	408	-	-	58
COLUMBIA	5 558	747	22	853	778	736	768	718	746	-	-	190
CRAWFORD	6 545	971	31	982	939	917	854	865	889	-	-	97
CUMBERLAND	16 886	2 353	57	2 459	2 293	2 177	2 299	2 230	2 352	-	-	666
DAUPHIN	18 582	3 278	30	2 692	2 536	2 370	2 285	2 181	2 345	-	-	865
DELAWARE	30 753	4 753	70	4 819	4 258	3 937	3 875	3 710	3 817	-	-	1 514
ELK	2 363	322	-	323	361	278	307	309	346	-	-	117
ERIE	22 062	3 381	37	3 478	3 012	2 878	2 817	2 745	2 879	-	-	835
FAYETTE	12 337	1 727	-	1 816	1 674	1 673	1 696	1 557	1 577	-	-	617
FOREST	392	52	1	54	60	64	54	51	52	-	-	4
FRANKLIN	9 396	1 290	126	1 318	1 270	1 197	1 266	1 256	1 395	-	-	278
FULTON	1 424	195	-	212	182	203	214	192	183	-	-	43
GREENE	4 078	524	25	575	534	570	551	541	595	-	-	163
HUNTINGDON	3 687	447	17	569	506	481	533	528	528	-	-	78
INDIANA	7 632	1 125	-	1 152	1 093	1 031	1 010	1 017	977	-	-	227
JEFFERSON	4 104	579	6	648	589	551	541	545	514	-	-	131
JUNIATA	1 801	265	-	282	242	260	251	223	242	-	-	34
LACKAWANNA	14 465	2 077	16	2 013	1 924	1 903	1 874	1 893	1 985	-	-	780
LANCASTER	30 329	4 224	618	4 546	4 228	4 080	3 871	3 785	3 937	8	7	1 025
LAWRENCE	8 469	1 248	-	1 277	1 278	1 151	1 149	1 075	1 140	-	-	151
LEBANON	8 938	1 268	157	1 262	1 253	1 193	1 207	1 150	1 205	-	-	263
LEHIGH	19 613	2 970	20	2 943	2 754	2 604	2 637	2 475	2 665	-	-	545
LUZERNE	20 899	2 896	-	3 058	2 928	2 832	2 671	2 814	2 839	-	-	861
LYCOMING	10 653	1 571	44	1 640	1 413	1 392	1 348	1 364	1 448	-	-	433
MCKEAN	4 566	657	-	681	640	581	606	567	602	-	-	232
MERCER	9 864	1 435	27	1 475	1 395	1 340	1 332	1 382	1 385	-	-	93
MIFFLIN	3 227	472	-	506	458	392	424	416	454	-	-	105
MONROE	7 041	975	14	1 032	985	933	916	891	946	-	-	349
MONTGOMERY	38 698	5 780	137	5 957	5 379	4 979	4 896	4 893	5 148	-	-	1 529
MONTOUR	1 356	207	-	212	185	193	184	173	186	-	-	16
NORTHAMPTON	18 357	2 547	144	2 701	2 508	2 406	2 349	2 381	2 387	-	-	934
NORTHUMBERLAND	7 562	1 038	10	1 139	1 056	1 002	1 000	956	1 085	-	-	276
PERRY	3 926	580	15	627	588	546	512	532	492	-	-	34
PHILADELPHIA	105 511	14 353	-	17 478	15 859	14 114	13 400	11 897	11 619	-	-	6 791
PIKE	1 130	181	-	169	159	150	112	157	161	-	-	41
POTTER	1 766	248	-	253	262	248	252	225	216	-	-	62
SCHUYLKILL	10 389	1 494	45	1 467	1 377	1 411	1 332	1 360	1 447	-	-	456
SNYDER	2 804	372	15	375	355	388	362	400	384	-	-	153
SOMERSET	7 582	1 061	16	1 070	1 045	1 043	997	1 015	1 035	-	-	100
SULLIVAN	554	85	-	96	91	65	64	76	67	-	-	10
SUSQUEHANNA	4 539	664	-	701	674	600	566	602	558	-	-	174
TIOGA	3 804	621	-	624	521	503	505	466	514	-	-	50
UNION	2 094	295	13	312	283	296	265	289	260	-	-	81
VENANGO	6 456	994	22	899	901	880	841	811	929	-	-	179
WARREN	5 810	533	-	618	576	525	517	474	472	-	-	95
WASHINGTON	16 036	2 209	24	2 356	2 223	2 253	2 176	2 084	2 214	-	-	517
WAYNE	3 823	571	-	562	532	523	503	477	528	-	-	127
WESTMORELAND	28 195	3 769	34	4 182	3 905	3 778	3 941	3 800	3 977	-	-	809
WYOMING	2 660	395	-	397	362	349	341	353	374	-	-	89
YORK	24 734	3 485	133	3 772	3 535	3 283	3 288	3 218	3 421	-	-	801

TABLE 4

PUBLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY GRADE BY COUNTY
1986-87

COUNTY	TOTAL	GRADE 7	8	9	10	11	12	POST-GRADUATES	UN-GRADED
STATE TOTALS	817 199	119 207	121 502	139 761	142 565	137 798	126 701	84	29 581
ADAMS	5 678	833	946	948	904	920	773	-	354
ALLEGHENY	86 233	11 101	11 770	14 796	15 078	15 238	14 297	-	3 953
ARMSTRONG	6 629	1 055	1 000	1 067	1 161	1 088	1 060	-	198
BEAVER	14 613	2 082	2 207	2 503	2 708	2 496	2 329	-	288
BEDFORD	4 364	695	685	741	759	771	671	17	25
BERKS	24 001	3 587	3 798	3 981	4 103	4 067	3 636	-	829
BLAIR	10 404	1 566	1 561	1 796	1 886	1 841	1 703	-	51
BRADFORD	5 903	862	930	1 041	1 058	1 003	931	-	78
BUCKS	36 997	5 298	5 321	5 897	6 374	6 561	6 073	-	1 473
BUTLER	11 758	1 699	1 733	2 110	2 174	1 920	1 938	-	184
CAMBRIA	12 566	1 836	1 775	2 167	2 207	2 239	2 176	-	166
CAMERON	579	85	93	103	114	89	90	-	5
CARBON	4 210	582	573	718	647	698	620	-	372
CENTRE	6 459	971	1 058	1 135	1 199	1 029	1 043	-	24
CHESTER	25 133	3 744	3 787	4 133	4 100	4 359	4 035	7	968
CLARION	4 203	667	670	669	751	743	666	-	37
CLEARFIELD	8 114	1 360	1 318	1 348	1 377	1 372	1 301	-	38
CLINTON	2 878	467	497	465	487	493	465	-	4
COLUMBIA	5 674	757	846	906	1 022	1 013	932	-	198
CRAWFORD	6 325	965	995	1 095	1 102	1 113	967	-	88
CUMBERLAND	16 725	2 430	2 602	2 759	2 955	2 976	2 553	-	450
DAUPHIN	16 374	2 467	2 481	3 069	2 884	2 622	2 339	-	512
DELAWARE	28 301	3 899	4 129	4 589	4 952	4 940	4 936	-	856
ELK	2 791	392	386	461	500	455	448	-	149
ERIE	20 477	2 799	3 008	3 630	3 687	3 438	3 198	-	717
FAYETTE	12 190	1 751	1 876	1 972	2 021	1 883	1 795	13	879
FOREST	422	69	67	60	71	73	70	-	12
FRANKLIN	9 413	1 466	1 528	1 593	1 765	1 539	1 388	-	134
FULTON	1 254	205	212	181	218	191	177	-	70
GREENE	3 702	558	615	566	620	571	567	-	205
HUNTINGDON	3 533	540	539	596	607	625	580	-	46
INDIANA	7 096	1 124	1 151	1 167	1 218	1 101	1 142	-	193
JEFFERSON	3 926	582	589	594	749	761	639	-	12
JUNIATA	1 675	227	254	277	311	297	235	-	74
LACKAWANNA	14 018	2 091	1 979	2 242	2 395	2 347	2 339	-	625
LANCASTER	26 182	4 211	4 156	4 442	4 588	4 162	3 902	-	721
LAWRENCE	7 892	1 119	1 246	1 318	1 406	1 448	1 301	-	54
LEBANON	8 461	1 308	1 349	1 502	1 442	1 397	1 255	-	208
LEHIGH	18 331	2 755	2 899	3 160	3 217	3 225	2 846	35	194
LUZERNE	21 901	3 007	3 034	3 779	3 755	3 766	3 636	-	924
LYCOMING	9 560	1 416	1 479	1 704	1 687	1 630	1 498	-	146
MCKEAN	4 461	650	707	699	785	732	676	-	212
MERCER	9 646	1 491	1 531	1 650	1 688	1 589	1 494	-	203
MIFFLIN	3 308	498	527	587	464	581	587	-	64
MONROE	6 529	986	964	1 100	1 124	1 031	960	-	364
MONTGOMERY	38 086	5 571	5 420	6 055	6 619	6 795	6 330	10	1 286
MONTOUR	1 197	188	216	229	165	196	190	-	13
NORTHAMPTON	17 407	2 509	2 579	2 788	2 961	2 915	2 603	-	1 052
NORTHUMBERLAND	7 476	1 128	1 140	1 248	1 347	1 227	1 179	-	207
PERRY	3 578	637	578	651	622	581	494	-	15
PHILADELPHIA	90 041	13 445	12 688	17 410	16 191	13 726	10 860	-	5 721
PIKE	956	144	152	140	146	152	133	-	89
POTTER	1 780	258	253	298	294	295	280	-	102
SCHUYLKILL	10 706	1 481	1 541	1 885	1 784	1 656	1 608	-	751
SNYDER	2 701	422	448	396	441	461	422	-	111
SOMERSET	6 711	1 080	1 119	1 119	1 156	1 107	1 071	-	59
SULLIVAN	471	74	54	87	93	71	88	-	4
SUSQUEHANNA	3 843	586	642	617	663	651	588	2	94
TIOGA	3 540	558	572	622	593	591	568	-	36
UNION	1 994	283	334	344	331	327	314	-	61
VENANGO	5 634	900	969	974	952	915	871	-	53
WARREN	3 651	599	516	614	635	668	589	-	30
WASHINGTON	16 398	2 414	2 403	2 785	2 885	2 846	2 581	-	484
WAYNE	3 333	491	547	558	543	591	536	-	67
WESTMORELAND	30 159	4 337	4 369	5 021	5 282	5 124	5 110	-	916
WYOMING	2 479	398	412	412	441	430	339	-	47
YORK	24 169	3 451	3 679	4 192	4 101	4 040	3 680	-	1 026

TABLE 5

PUBLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY RACE BY COUNTY
1986-87

COUNTY	TOTAL	AMER IND ALASK NTVE	ASIAN PACIFIC ISLND	BLACK (NON-HISPANIC)	HISPANIC	WHITE (NON-HISPANIC)
STATE TOTALS	856 962	486	11 479	118 036	21 732	785 229
ADAMS	6 135	4	59	110	123	5 859
ALLEGHENY	82 264	44	1 016	17 547	177	63 480
ARMSTRONG	6 899	1	15	52	7	6 824
BEAVER	15 320	11	47	1 388	20	13 854
BEDFORD	4 424	1	8	22	4	4 389
BERKS	26 025	8	222	1 024	1 949	22 822
BLAIR	10 847	4	61	125	18	10 639
BRADFORD	6 707	3	10	9	4	6 681
BUCKS	38 682	31	717	1 582	644	35 708
BUTLER	12 365	7	62	74	17	12 205
CAMBRIA	11 936	1	37	455	32	11 411
CAMERON	565	-	1	4	-	560
CARBON	4 241	-	13	7	23	4 198
CENTRE	6 270	7	168	82	49	5 964
CHESTER	26 517	8	380	2 626	643	22 860
CLARION	4 420	1	11	17	3	4 388
CLEARFIELD	9 013	2	32	15	3	8 961
CLINTON	3 082	-	4	5	-	3 073
COLUMBIA	5 558	2	18	33	9	5 496
CRAWFORD	6 545	-	24	154	10	6 357
CUMBERLAND	16 886	6	276	292	60	16 252
DAUPHIN	18 582	8	312	4 639	702	12 921
DELAWARE	30 753	15	705	5 746	350	23 937
ELK	2 363	-	12	3	-	2 348
ERIE	22 062	8	164	1 966	343	19 581
FAYETTE	12 337	-	20	659	7	11 651
FOREST	392	-	-	2	-	390
FRANKLIN	9 396	13	78	408	48	8 849
FULTON	1 424	-	1	21	-	1 402
GREENE	4 078	4	13	25	5	4 031
HUNTINGDON	3 687	1	2	66	2	3 616
INDIANA	7 632	-	41	61	9	7 521
JEFFERSON	4 104	-	15	4	-	4 085
JUNIATA	1 801	2	13	3	2	1 781
LACKAWANNA	14 465	5	142	195	31	14 092
LANCASTER	30 329	16	576	1 423	1 730	26 584
LAWRENCE	8 469	1	36	439	7	7 986
LEBANON	8 938	1	133	48	293	8 463
LEHIGH	19 613	12	324	745	1 625	16 907
LUZERNE	20 899	7	79	258	66	20 489
LYCOMING	10 653	4	56	222	5	10 366
MCKEAN	4 546	4	21	11	6	4 524
MERCER	9 864	2	43	669	17	9 133
MIFFLIN	3 227	7	17	11	1	3 191
MONROE	7 041	10	66	174	71	6 720
MONTGOMERY	58 698	29	1 446	3 572	421	33 230
MONTOUR	1 356	-	23	8	2	1 323
NORTHAMPTON	18 357	2	182	736	1 124	16 313
NORTHUMBERLAND	7 562	4	11	36	28	7 483
PERRY	3 926	-	1	2	-	3 923
PHILADELPHIA	105 511	111	3 141	67 027	10 345	24 887
PIKE	1 130	2	17	9	27	1 075
POTTER	1 766	4	11	2	4	1 745
SCHUYLKILL	10 389	2	42	58	14	10 273
SNYDER	2 804	2	16	4	4	2 778
SOMERSET	7 582	2	14	9	2	7 555
SULLIVAN	554	-	-	3	-	551
SUSQUEHANNA	4 539	1	9	19	14	4 496
TIOGA	3 804	2	5	23	3	3 771
UNION	2 094	-	13	13	12	2 056
VENANGO	6 456	6	36	38	13	6 363
WARREN	3 810	3	9	1	-	3 797
WASHINGTON	16 036	15	45	782	18	15 176
WAYNE	3 823	2	8	16	13	3 784
WESTMORELAND	28 195	13	197	844	35	27 106
WYOMING	2 660	5	7	11	2	2 635
YORK	24 734	20	216	1 402	536	22 560

TABLE 6

PUBLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY RACE BY COUNTY
1986-87

COUNTY	TOTAL	AMER IND ALASK NTVE	ASIAN PACIFIC ISLND	BLACK (NON-HISPANIC)	HISPANIC	WHITE (NON-HISPANIC)
STATE TOTALS	817 199	692	9 956	101 273	15 095	690 183
ADAMS	5 678	2	21	135	72	5 448
ALLEGHENY	86 233	55	747	14 894	147	70 590
ARMSTRONG	6 629	-	12	68	5	6 544
BEAVER	14 613	28	41	1 293	19	13 232
BEDFORD	4 364	1	14	29	7	4 313
BERKS	24 001	17	273	885	1 259	21 567
BLAIR	10 404	2	40	101	15	10 246
BRADFORD	5 903	3	11	14	9	5 866
BUCKS	36 997	34	525	1 567	497	34 374
BUTLER	11 758	1	55	52	19	11 651
CAMBRIA	12 566	3	24	357	20	12 162
CAMERON	579	-	2	2	2	573
CARBON	4 210	1	21	20	39	4 129
CENTRE	6 459	6	79	51	38	6 285
CHESTER	25 133	24	334	2 301	505	21 969
CLARION	4 203	-	30	7	6	4 160
CLEARFIELD	8 114	4	21	18	6	8 065
CLINTON	2 878	-	10	5	-	2 863
COLUMBIA	5 674	7	23	11	5	5 628
CRAWFORD	6 325	10	29	137	13	6 136
CUMBERLAND	16 725	8	236	253	52	16 176
DAUPHIN	16 374	19	259	3 746	353	11 997
DELAWARE	28 301	20	628	4 809	209	22 635
ELK	2 791	3	13	5	-	2 770
ERIE	20 477	29	105	1 585	206	18 552
FAYETTE	12 190	7	18	724	2	11 439
FOREST	422	-	-	3	-	419
FRANKLIN	9 413	15	66	445	31	8 856
FULTON	1 254	-	2	20	-	1 232
GREENE	3 702	-	5	16	5	3 676
HUNTINGDON	3 533	1	3	62	2	3 465
INDIANA	7 096	2	51	72	14	6 957
JEFFERSON	3 926	-	11	-	-	3 915
JUNIATA	1 675	1	5	5	2	1 662
LACKAWANNA	14 018	3	104	146	29	13 736
LANCASTER	26 182	8	492	990	1 224	23 468
LAWRENCE	7 892	3	37	387	7	7 458
LEBANON	8 461	1	107	46	269	8 038
LEHIGH	18 331	6	245	568	994	16 518
LUZERNE	21 901	14	61	169	27	21 630
LYCOMING	9 560	9	30	193	9	9 319
MCKEAN	4 461	10	20	16	5	4 410
MERCER	9 646	2	49	727	23	8 845
MIFFLIN	3 308	1	9	12	4	3 282
MONROE	6 529	28	69	135	56	6 241
MONTGOMERY	38 086	25	1 313	3 305	327	33 116
MONTOUR	1 197	4	14	5	-	1 174
NORTHAMPTON	17 407	9	184	538	856	15 820
NORTHUMBERLAND	7 476	4	9	21	19	7 423
PERRY	3 578	-	6	3	2	3 567
PHILADELPHIA	98 041	126	2 983	57 388	7 243	22 301
PIKE	956	1	4	5	6	940
POTTER	1 780	1	7	7	1	1 764
SCHUYLKILL	10 706	1	55	40	14	10 616
SNYDER	2 701	1	13	4	-	2 683
SOMERSET	6 711	4	12	4	4	6 687
SULLIVAN	471	-	1	-	-	470
SUSQUEHANNA	3 843	1	6	14	6	3 816
TIOGA	3 540	2	9	17	2	3 510
UNION	1 994	1	11	18	8	1 956
VENANGO	5 634	3	28	31	6	5 566
WARREN	3 651	55	8	7	4	3 597
WASHINGTON	16 598	22	56	807	39	15 494
WAYNE	3 333	4	6	13	12	3 298
WESTMORELAND	38 159	41	164	729	46	29 179
WYOMING	2 479	-	5	13	2	2 459
YORK	24 169	19	185	1 225	292	22 450

TABLE 7

PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN OPERATION
1977-78 THROUGH 1986-87

Year	Total	Elementary	Secondary	Combined*
1977-78	3 981	2 607	992	382
1978-79	3 903	2 532	989	382
1979-80	3 805	2 439	974	392
1980-81	3 734	2 368	952	414
1981-82	3 616	2 261	932	423
1982-83	3 507	2 162	903	442
1983-84	3 487	2 108	901	478
1984-85	3 432	2 056	895	481
1985-86	3 410	2 037	887	486
1986-87	3 397	2 027	881	489

* Includes Middle Schools.

TABLE 8

DISTRIBUTION OF PUBLIC SECONDARY AND COMBINED SCHOOLS AND PUBLIC SECONDARY ENROLLMENTS BY GRADE BY SCHOOL CLASSIFICATION, 1986-87

CLASSIFICATION	NUMBER OF SCHOOLS	TOTAL ENROLLMENTS	GRADE 7	8	9	10	11	12	POST-GRADUATES	UN-GRADED
STATE TOTALS	1 370	817 199	119 207	121 502	139 761	142 565	137 798	126 701	84	29 581
THREE-YEAR JHS (7-9)	133	91 107	28 943	29 374	29 767	-	-	-	-	3 023
SIX-YEAR JSHS (7-12)	198	133 821	21 012	21 608	23 063	23 300	22 466	21 202	2	1 168
THREE-YEAR SHS (10-12)	92	98 027	-	-	-	33 136	33 311	30 659	48	873
FOUR-YEAR HS (9-12)	268	283 488	-	-	71 788	73 706	70 797	64 342	10	2 845
TWO-YEAR JHS (7-8)	51	24 938	12 417	12 343	-	-	-	-	-	178
TWO-YEAR HS (9-10)	11	10 387	-	-	5 158	5 084	-	-	-	145
TWO-YEAR HS (11-12)	8	8 068	-	-	-	-	4 090	3 934	-	44
STATE-OWNED (SPECIAL)*	1	75	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75
AREA VO-TECH SCH (FULL-TIME)	14	13 548	-	-	1 838	4 130	3 960	3 505	7	108
AREA VO-TECH SCH (PART-TIME)*	71	45 398	-	2	312	10 400	17 479	16 420	211	574
SPECIAL EDUCATION	13	2 906	7	10	113	209	147	79	-	2 341
MIDDLE SCHOOL (COMBINED)	275	104 464	50 765	49 300	1 443	-	-	-	-	2 956
OTHER COMBINED	214	30 592	5 662	4 721	1 350	1 053	1 001	955	17	15 833
OTHER SECONDARY	21	15 853	401	4 146	5 241	1 947	2 026	2 025	-	67

* ENROLLMENTS ARE ALSO REPORTED BY THE SENDING SCHOOL. THEREFORE, BEING DUPLICATE DATA, THESE ENROLLMENTS ARE NOT INCLUDED IN THE STATE TOTALS.

TABLE 9

ENROLLMENTS OF MIDDLE SCHOOLS BY GRADE, 1986-87

	NO. SCHS	TOTAL ENROLLMENTS	4	5	6	ELEM UNGR	7	8	9	SEC UNGR
STATE TOTALS	275	163 153	564	9 543	47 788	794	50 765	49 300	1 443	2 956
4-YR MIDDLE SCHOOL (GR. 5-8)	55	36 613	-	8 371	8 949	144	9 108	9 604	-	437
3-YR MIDDLE SCHOOL (GR. 6-8)	198	112 790	-	-	34 939	621	37 115	37 798	-	2 317
OTHER MIDDLE SCHOOL	22	13 750	564	1 172	3 900	29	4 542	1 898	1 443	202

TABLE 10

ENROLLMENTS OF AREA VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL SCHOOLS BY GRADE, 1986-87

	NO. SCHS	TOTAL ENROLLMENTS	GRADES 7	8	9	10	11	12	POST-GRADUATES	SEC UNGR
STATE TOTALS	85	58 946	-	2	2 150	14 530	21 439	19 925	218	682
FULL-TIME AVTS	14	13 548	-	-	1 838	4 130	3 960	3 505	7	108
PART-TIME AVTS	71	45 398	-	2	312	10 400	17 479	16 420	211	574

Nonpublic School Enrollments

FIGURE 4
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT TREND
FALL 1967 THROUGH FALL 1986

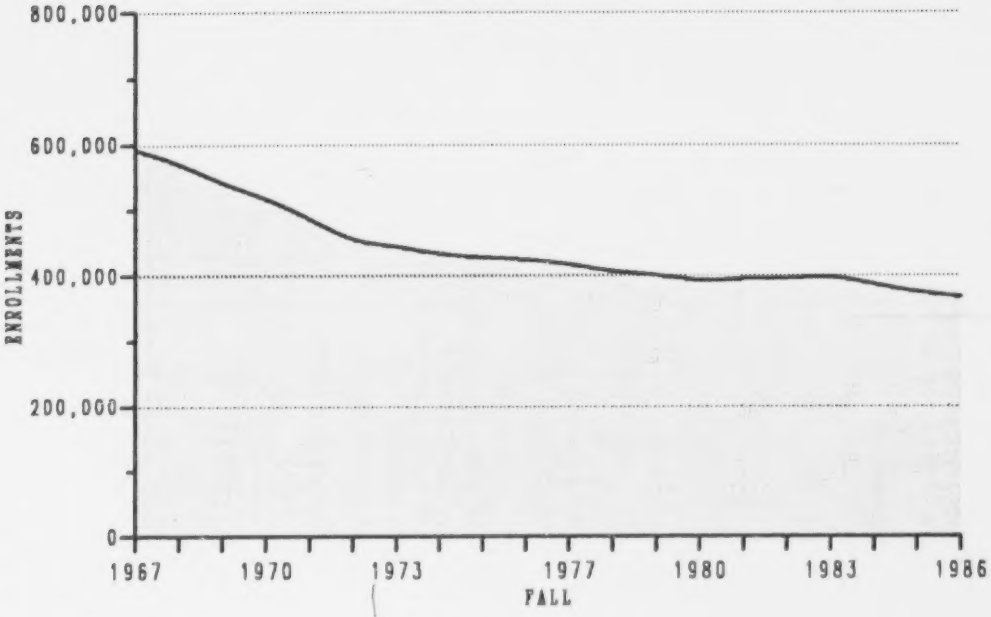

FIGURE 5
NONPUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY ENROLLMENTS
FALL 1977 THROUGH FALL 1986

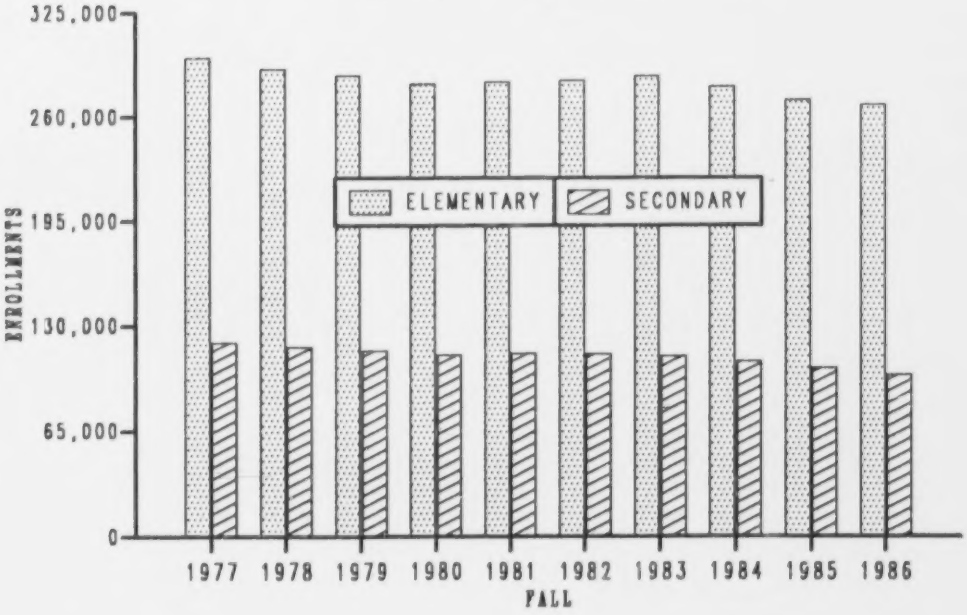

TABLE 11

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY LEVEL
1977-78 THROUGH 1986-87

Year	Total	Elementary	Secondary
1977-78	416 703	296 973	119 730
1978-79	406 485	289 630	116 855
1979-80	399 955	285 514	114 441
1980-81	392 402	280 319	112 083
1981-82	394 099	281 357	112 742
1982-83*	401 628	288 665	112 963
1983-84	396 233	285 372	110 861
1984-85	386 020	278 236	107 784
1985-86	374 398	270 541	103 857
1986-87	366 679	267 241	99 438

* Due to reporting inconsistencies, the 1982-83 enrollment figure as recorded is too high. The 1982-83 nonpublic enrollment figure could have as many as 6,600 students more than were actually enrolled. The majority of these enrollments are at the elementary level.

The total enrollment pattern for the nonpublic schools during the past decade shows a general decline with some fluxuation occurring during recent years at the elementary level. The secondary enrollments have continued to decline.

The total nonpublic school enrollment for 1986-87 was 366,679, a decrease of 2.1 percent from the 1985-86 figure of 374,398. While there was an across the board decline in nonpublic enrollments, there is insufficient data as to the cause. Secondary enrollments dropped 4.3 percent in 1986-87 from the 103,857 pupils reported in 1985-86 to 99,438. This is the first time nonpublic secondary enrollments have been below 100,000 students since the 1956-57 school year.

NOTE: The approximately 3,500 students attending nonpublic schools via an intermediate unit's "Approved Private School Program," or any other publicly funded educational programming, were excluded from the nonpublic enrollments starting with the 1984-85 school year. These students have historically been counted as public school pupils.

TABLE 12

NONPUBLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY GRADE BY COUNTY
1986-87

COUNTY	TOTAL	GRADE K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	UN-GRADED
STATE TOTALS	267 241	32 513	34 498	33 173	30 886	29 864	28 257	27 801	23 031	22 801	4 417
ADAMS	1 020	100	132	132	121	122	113	106	95	94	5
ALLEGHENY	32 982	4 839	4 288	4 026	3 704	3 582	3 417	3 262	2 807	2 811	246
ARMSTRONG	721	98	117	101	92	84	71	72	44	42	-
BEAVER	2 135	247	287	289	273	245	224	248	140	122	60
BEDFORD	257	25	40	33	32	34	25	19	16	30	3
BERKS	4 290	638	567	543	526	475	421	410	319	286	105
BLAIR	2 453	298	302	323	308	276	269	295	195	187	-
BRADFORD	517	12	66	87	73	62	59	54	55	44	5
BUCKS	15 154	1 470	1 908	1 865	1 758	1 708	1 679	1 625	1 436	1 371	334
BUTLER	1 580	244	215	217	191	173	175	148	95	102	20
CAMBRIA	4 157	473	509	538	478	496	423	440	404	396	-
CAMERON	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CARBON	1 028	137	126	142	113	110	116	99	95	90	-
CENTRE	838	217	123	113	96	90	86	79	17	12	5
CHESTER	6 875	1 068	795	801	701	758	706	693	454	468	431
CLARION	384	56	59	58	47	59	40	35	19	11	-
CLEARFIELD	717	101	75	94	81	71	88	81	53	63	10
CLINTON	361	39	49	46	65	41	46	31	27	17	-
COLUMBIA	582	105	103	72	61	50	65	48	25	25	28
CRAWFORD	857	82	135	122	118	97	100	95	57	51	-
CUMBERLAND	2 416	442	281	281	242	279	221	230	161	155	124
DAUPHIN	4 477	743	531	509	475	484	438	472	390	401	34
DELAWARE	19 753	2 195	2 565	2 475	2 273	2 216	2 131	2 088	1 800	1 843	167
ELK	1 371	199	163	194	153	158	137	119	124	124	-
ERIE	8 735	888	1 085	1 026	964	1 019	882	1 008	889	885	89
FAYETTE	2 069	303	317	291	250	243	204	179	136	131	15
FOREST	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25
FRANKLIN	1 160	170	164	170	159	142	133	118	49	47	8
FULTON	31	1	4	2	6	5	4	5	2	-	2
GREENE	80	21	11	7	18	6	5	7	-	-	5
HUNTINGDON	27	2	-	3	4	7	3	6	2	-	-
INDIANA	661	100	86	99	95	82	83	56	34	26	-
JEFFERSON	217	35	28	24	28	24	23	26	12	17	-
JUNIATA	225	14	32	22	32	24	21	34	20	15	11
LACKAWANNA	4 989	597	584	571	545	532	529	519	504	471	137
LANCASTER	11 660	921	1 485	1 460	1 376	1 328	1 237	1 311	939	912	691
LAWRENCE	866	92	125	123	101	117	94	101	36	29	48
LEBANON	1 357	149	183	193	170	159	137	164	96	84	22
LEHIGH	3 878	687	492	478	441	395	381	318	308	269	109
LUZERNE	6 891	948	846	836	739	724	709	708	645	673	63
LYCOMING	995	144	152	141	123	114	138	97	4	5	77
MCKEAN	378	54	55	61	48	62	45	42	5	5	1
MERCER	1 588	154	185	170	190	155	176	168	144	147	99
MIFFLIN	637	49	119	111	112	108	103	71	52	59	53
MONROE	683	134	117	100	90	89	75	76	1	-	1
MONTGOMERY	24 125	3 695	2 895	2 763	2 750	2 612	2 470	2 405	1 963	1 997	575
MONTOUR	251	22	42	31	31	37	26	30	12	19	1
NORTHAMPTON	4 772	693	651	592	569	547	532	539	324	325	-
NORTHUMBERLAND	1 788	249	231	230	222	185	191	198	116	134	32
PERRY	184	11	17	18	16	16	16	32	25	32	1
PHILADELPHIA	65 674	6 035	8 775	8 254	7 640	7 376	7 061	6 954	6 547	6 485	547
PIKE	15	4	2	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	-
POTTER	74	15	13	11	7	8	9	11	-	-	-
SCHUYLKILL	2 922	299	377	374	334	340	299	295	274	300	30
SNYDER	491	21	63	73	75	56	48	53	45	52	5
SOMERSET	731	47	107	104	116	101	89	83	26	30	28
SULLIVAN	23	2	3	3	2	2	4	1	6	-	-
SUSQUEHANNA	35	3	3	5	4	3	4	5	-	-	8
TIOGA	242	44	40	37	42	19	23	28	6	3	-
UNION	454	9	68	53	66	51	58	54	38	45	12
VENANGO	571	64	77	66	69	73	69	62	44	47	-
WARREN	378	49	59	55	59	51	45	46	9	5	-
WASHINGTON	2 112	275	306	283	244	224	228	203	157	142	50
WAYNE	430	59	57	63	58	46	52	46	25	24	-
WESTMORELAND	6 193	1 010	788	812	726	723	627	607	461	404	35
WYOMING	58	5	11	8	7	6	5	7	8	1	-
YORK	3 441	611	407	388	376	380	368	378	238	235	60

TABLE 13

NONPUBLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY GRADE BY COUNTY
1986-87

COUNTY	TOTAL	GRADE 7	8	9	10	11	12	POST-GRADUATES	UN-GRADED
STATE TOTALS	99 438	2 895	3 069	22 067	22 825	23 102	22 469	2 854	157
ADAMS	689	6	8	146	177	165	166	21	-
ALLEGHENY	8 847	188	205	1 978	2 168	2 104	2 101	101	2
ARMSTRONG	80	13	15	12	14	10	16	-	-
BEAVER	547	29	36	106	120	117	139	-	-
BEDFORD	32	1	2	7	9	4	9	-	-
BERKS	1 925	75	72	395	410	456	439	78	-
BLAIR	683	23	29	161	165	170	135	-	-
BRADFORD	27	5	2	2	3	3	1	11	-
BUCKS	6 006	133	145	1 420	1 505	1 409	1 393	-	1
BUTLER	102	16	13	22	10	12	18	11	-
CAMBRIA	1 037	4	2	262	238	288	243	-	-
CAMERON	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CARBON	8	2	2	-	2	2	-	-	-
CENTRE	100	11	9	20	15	14	12	19	-
CHESTER	3 634	156	176	782	687	738	735	315	45
CLARION	42	4	5	11	6	12	4	-	-
CLEARFIELD	309	19	18	73	67	75	57	-	-
CLINTON	12	3	5	4	-	-	-	-	-
COLUMBIA	41	-	-	14	13	6	8	-	-
CRAWFORD	66	7	20	12	10	14	3	-	-
CUMBERLAND	1 034	59	52	204	215	213	217	74	-
DAUPHIN	1 643	44	46	449	410	367	327	-	-
DELAWARE	10 224	238	250	2 127	2 160	2 355	2 342	725	27
ELK	327	-	-	85	90	73	79	-	-
ERIE	2 809	40	62	644	676	645	628	114	-
FAYETTE	513	20	14	121	117	121	109	11	-
FOREST	10	-	-	1	1	3	5	-	-
FRANKLIN	786	78	64	114	155	200	162	-	13
FULTON	10	2	3	-	4	1	-	-	-
GREENE	49	6	6	9	8	7	6	7	-
HUNTINGDON	164	11	12	17	44	45	35	-	-
INDIANA	311	8	9	58	69	86	75	-	6
JEFFERSON	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
JUNIATA	19	-	-	7	8	-	4	-	-
LACKAWANNA	2 177	25	25	494	524	490	508	111	-
LANCASTER	3 006	243	249	636	660	628	551	38	1
LAWRENCE	197	24	21	20	33	37	50	12	-
LEBANON	546	65	37	108	107	108	108	13	-
LEHIGH	1 212	9	20	271	312	274	237	89	-
LUZERNE	2 609	35	50	532	601	638	667	66	20
LYCOMING	381	50	53	73	65	59	63	18	-
MCKEAN	201	31	27	34	38	32	39	-	-
MERCER	553	9	9	129	113	118	103	72	-
MIFFLIN	104	17	19	15	25	15	13	-	-
MONROE	479	80	88	72	80	79	78	2	-
MONTGOMERY	12 789	344	473	2 709	2 894	2 985	2 822	523	39
MONTOUR	64	2	7	18	14	9	14	-	-
NORTHAMPTON	1 799	82	105	353	415	422	421	-	1
NORTHUMBERLAND	648	43	43	140	133	131	121	37	-
PERRY	186	7	4	43	43	41	48	-	-
PHILADELPHIA	25 160	349	322	6 059	6 047	6 161	6 047	174	1
PIKE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
POTTER	37	7	3	13	5	7	2	-	-
SCHUYLKILL	1 047	8	11	265	236	253	260	14	-
SNYDER	75	5	2	11	28	16	13	-	-
SOMERSET	209	33	25	42	43	33	29	4	-
SULLIVAN	13	-	-	-	-	6	7	-	-
SUSQUEHANNA	32	8	5	5	7	6	-	1	-
TIOGA	98	24	12	20	18	17	7	-	-
UNION	47	3	3	14	10	9	8	-	-
VENANGO	238	8	13	31	49	42	44	51	-
WARREN	58	14	10	13	6	8	7	-	-
WASHINGTON	702	36	27	117	149	165	148	60	-
WAYNE	135	12	23	26	18	33	22	-	1
WESTMORELAND	1 129	18	12	260	272	276	246	45	-
WYOMING	17	-	6	2	4	3	2	-	-
YORK	1 404	103	83	279	300	286	316	37	-

TABLE 14

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION BY LEVEL
1986-87

RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION	TOTAL SCHOOLS	% CHG	ENROLLMENTS Total	Elementary	Secondary
STATE TOTALS	2 217	+ 0.7	366 679	267 241	99 438
NON-CATHOLIC TOTALS	1 389	+ 3.0	99 517	67 859	31 658
RELIGIOUS/ NON-CATHOLIC TOTALS	943	+ 4.0	70 699	50 328	20 371
Amish	311	+ 6.1	8 360	8 360	-
Assembly of God	10	-33.3	905	799	106
Baptist	92	+ 4.5	8 756	5 825	2 931
Episcopal	15	n.c.	2 254	1 718	536
Friends	23	- 4.2	5 511	3 443	2 068
God's Missionary Church	2	-33.3	161	106	55
Jewish	28	+ 7.7	3 058	2 448	610
Lutheran	26	- 3.7	1 746	1 655	91
Mennonite	82	- 1.2	7 733	5 732	2 001
Methodist	19	- 5.0	1 332	806	526
Presbyterian	13	- 7.1	714	503	211
Seventh-day Adventist	31	+ 3.3	1 269	738	531
Other Religions	291	+ 7.8	28 900	18 195	10 705
SECULAR TOTALS	446	+ 1.4	28 818	17 531	11 287
ROMAN CATHOLIC TOTALS	828	- 3.2	267 162	199 382	67 780
Allentown Diocese	75	+ 1.4	17 819	13 573	4 246
Altoona-Johnstown Diocese	40	- 2.4	8 527	6 983	1 544
Erie Diocese	58	n.c.	16 029	12 457	3 572
Greensburg Diocese	50	- 5.7	9 010	7 688	1 322
Harrisburg Diocese	58	- 9.4	15 642	11 396	4 246
Philadelphia Diocese	321	- 4.2	144 757	103 147	41 610
Pittsburgh Diocese	155	- 1.9	39 609	32 120	7 489
Scranton Diocese	71	- 1.4	15 769	12 018	3 751

TABLE 15

NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS IN OPERATION
1977-78 THROUGH 1986-87

Year	Total	Elementary	Secondary	Combined
1977-78	1 642	1 191	195	256
1978-79	1 667	1 215	182	270
1979-80	1 779	1 289	183	307
1980-81	1 757	1 288	176	293
1981-82	1 815	1 304	179	332
1982-83	2 039	1 488	193	358
1983-84	2 105	1 522	184	399
1984-85	2 163	1 569	187	407
1985-86	2 202	1 632	193	377
1986-87	2 217	1 652	183	382

GLOSSARY

COMBINED SCHOOL -- a school which includes both elementary-level pupils and secondary-level pupils.

FULL-TIME AREA VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL SCHOOL -- a school in which pupils from participating school districts attend a centrally located technical school organized, established and operated as a complete technical high school which provides the pupil with the total educational program of shop or laboratory and general instruction.

MIDDLE SCHOOL -- a combined school with at least three consecutive grades from 5 through 8 and other schools approved as a middle school.

PART-TIME AREA VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL SCHOOL -- a school in which pupils from participating school districts attend a centrally located shop-laboratory center half of the school time for the practical shop or laboratory instruction program and remain in their respective resident high school half-time for the general education instruction program.

POSTGRADUATE -- a high school graduate that returns to high school and enrolls in regular high school classes. SHOULD NOT INCLUDE ADULT EDUCATION.

RACE/ETHNIC CATEGORIES --

American Indian or Alaskan Native - all persons having origins in any of the original peoples of North America, and who maintain cultural identification through tribal affiliation or community recognition.

Asian or Pacific Islanders - all persons having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, the Indian Subcontinent or the Pacific Islands. This area includes for example, China, Japan, Korea, India, the Philippine Islands and Samoa.

Black (not of Hispanic origin) - all persons having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.

Hispanic - all persons of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.

White (not of Hispanic origin) - all persons having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, North Africa or the Middle East.

SCHOOL -- a division of a school system comprised of one or more grade groups organized as one unit, usually under the direction of a principal or a head teacher. One building may house more than one school or one school may occupy all or part of one or more buildings.